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RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment dated October 29, 2004 for the above-identified patent application, please find below the replacement section that contains the listing of claims. Please replace the corresponding section in the Preliminary Amendment dated February 20, 2004.

REMARKS

I. Status of the Application

In the October 29, 2004 Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment, the Examiner has requested that each claim be provided with the proper status identifier.

II. Conclusion

It is respectfully submitted that all claims are in condition for allowance. Accordingly, prompt and favorable examination is earnestly solicited.

Respectfully Submitted,

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	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest No. Paid For	Fee Calculation	Addit Fee
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Independent Claims	2	3	0 X 88	\$ 0.00

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